



## **BEARFACTS 1991 – 2001**

### **Christian , Illinois [17021]**

Christian is one of 102 counties in Illinois. It is part of the Taylorville, IL Micropolitan SA. Its 2001 population of 35,153 ranked 44th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2001 Christian had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$24,355. This PCPI ranked 47th in the state and was 75 percent of the state average, \$32,553, and 80 percent of the national average, \$30,582. The 2001 PCPI reflected an increase of 2.5 percent from 2000. The 2000-2001 state change was 1.1 percent and the national change was 2.5 percent. In 1991 the PCPI of Christian was \$16,798 and ranked 33rd in the state. The 1991-2001 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.4 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2001 Christian had a total personal income (TPI) of \$856,140\*. This TPI ranked 43rd in the state and accounted for 0.2 percent of the state total. In 1991 the TPI of Christian was \$588,570\* and ranked 39th in the state. The 2001 TPI reflected an increase of 1.9 percent from 2000. The 2000-2001 state change was 1.7 percent and the national change was 3.5 percent. The 1991-2001 average annual growth rate of TPI was 3.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.2 percent and for the nation was 5.6 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Christian. In 2001 net earnings accounted for 57.8 percent of TPI (compared with 60.1 in 1991); dividends, interest, and rent were 22.0 percent (compared with 21.4 in 1991); and personal current transfer receipts were 20.3 percent (compared with 18.5 in 1991). From 2000 to 2001 net earnings increased 0.1 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 2.8 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 6.4 percent. From 1991 to 2001 net earnings increased on average 3.4 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 4.1 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 4.8 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Christian increased from \$403,645\* in 2000 to \$410,623\* in 2001, an increase of 1.7 percent. The 2000-2001 state change was 1.6 percent and the national change was 3.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1991 estimate of \$314,856\* to the 2001 estimate was 2.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.3 percent and for the nation was 5.8 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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